



## Advanced Burn Life Support (ABLS)

**LOCATION:** River Region Hospital – Vicksburg, MS

**DATE:** June 4, 2005 – Saturday - 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**COURSE MINIMUM:** 15 participants

**FEE:** \$200.00 CHECK/Money Order (RN's/ Paramedics)  
\$275.00 CHECK/ Money Order (Physicians)

**BOOKS:** Books are included in course fee

**PREREQUISITES:** None. Open to all attendees

**PURPOSE:** ABLS is a 1 day course sponsored by the Mississippi Hospital Association, Mississippi Firefighters Memorial Burn Center at Delta Regional Medical Center, Great White Emergency Medical Solutions, American Trauma Society – Mississippi Chapter, American Medical Response, and the American Burn Association. The target population is MDs, RNs, LPNs, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, therapists, and paramedics, fire service and other emergency care personnel. ABLS is designed to provide physicians and nurses the guidelines for the assessment and management of the burn patient during the first 24 hours post injury. The didactic lectures cover the basic concepts of assessment and management. The participants, led by faculty, apply these concepts during case study discussions. Upon completion of the didactic presentations and the group discussions, the participants are given the opportunity to work with a simulated burn patient to reinforce the assessment, stabilization, and transfer guidelines. Final testing consists of a written examination as well as practical assessment station, an eight-hour course for physicians, nurses, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, therapists, and paramedics. .

The registration fee covers the tuition, manual, study guide, test, and continuing education credits. The ABA designates this continuing medical education activity for up to 7 credit hours in Category 1 of the Physician's Recognition Award of the American Medical Association. This program also has been approved by AACN Certification Corporation guidelines for 8 contact hours, CERP Category A.

For more information on the course or to register and pay fees - contact:

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**During the 1 day ABLS Course the following topics are discussed:**

- Course Introduction
- Initial Assessment and Management
- Airway Management and Smoke Inhalation Injury
- Shock and Fluid Resuscitation
- Wound Management
- Electric Injuries
- Chemical Injuries
- Pediatric Burns
- Transfer and Transport
- Case Studies
- Patient Simulations

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## Advanced Burn Life Support Courses

- John B. Cone, M.D.

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*Course Medical Director*

**ABLS Provider Course:** Intended for providers of initial care of burn trauma patients from the emergency room to transfer to a burn center. MDs, RNs, PAs, RTs, who provide emergency care in ERs and community hospitals are encouraged to attend.

**FEE:** \$200.00 RNs, PAs, RTs. EMT-P's  
\$325.00 MDs (includes manual and refreshments)

**WHERE:** River Region Hospital – Vicksburg, MS

**WHEN:** June 4, 2005 – 08:00-16:00

**For more information please contact:** Attila Hertelendy, Course  
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